Mr. T. S. Narayana Ayyar.—I do not agree with the Hon'ble Member that it is necessary for the proper administration of the State to have such statistics.

Mr. K. M. Ibrahim.—What I mean is that it is necessary towards the promotion of education among the uneducated people that Government must have proper, relevant statistics on that matter.

Mr. T. S. Narayana Ayyar.—They have proper statistics at their disposal to carry forward their objects in such matters.

Back Volumes of Cochin Law Reports and the existing Rules and Regulations.

159. Mr. K. Ashtamoorthi Namboodiripad.—Will the Government be pleased to state whether they can make the back volumes of the Cochin Law Reports and the existing Rules and Regulations available as early as possible?

Mr. T. S. Narayana Ayyar.—Yes.

Mr. A. V. Moothedan.—Are the Government aware that such important Regulations like the Criminal Procedure Code are out of print? By what time will the new publication be out?

Mr. T. S. Narayana Ayyar.—The whole Amendment Bill is in progress now. So it has to be considered whether it is necessary to reprint it. The revised Code on the lines of the British Indian Code would be shortly published.

Mr. P. Govinda Menon.—Is it not a fact that there are very many Regulations which are not available in the Government Press?

Mr. T. S. Narayana Ayyar.—Yes; recently I have got a list of them. The reason why they did not think it necessary to reprint all these Regulations now is that they have now set up the Law Commission and it has actually begun to work. There is another thing also that the House will be aware of. Mr. C. Sankara Menon, when he was the Munsiff of Ernakulam, was put in charge of the compilation of one volume and it is actually in print and will shortly be completed. Further progress of that work was stopped on account of the establishment of the Law Commission and because the work of the Law Commission was on a slightly different line from the way in which it was progressing before. These Regulations will be reprinted embodying all the amendments up to date so that in one volume

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we can have the latest law with all the amendments introduced in British India.

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan.—May I know how many volumes of the Cochin Law Reports are out of print?

Mr. T. S. Narayana Ayyar.—Eight volumes have been reprinted.

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan.— How many are out of stock?

Mr. T. S. Narayana Ayyar.—I am not sure. The present number is 26.

Mr. P. Govinda Menon.—Are volumes 9 to 14 available?

Mr. T. S. Narayana Ayyar.—I want notice.

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan.—May I know whether the Government will be pleased to seriously consider the question of having these Law Reports made available at the earliest possible date?

Mr. T. S. Narayana Ayyar.—That is being pushed through.

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan.—I understand that the reprinting of these Law Reports has been going on for the last 5 years and yet the volumes from 9 to 14 have not been completed.

Mr. E. Ikkanda Warriar.—May I know how long this request for the reprinting of these volumes has been made in this House?

Mr. T. S. Narayana Ayyar.—I cannot say definitely.

Mr. E. Ikkanda Warriar.—I think some eight years back we have been requesting for this. What time will it take for the reprinting of these reports?

Mr. T. S. Narayana Ayyar.—It will all depend on the work in the Government Press. Government will see that it is done as early as possible.

Mr. P. Govinda Menon.—Are there no other private presses which will undertake this work?

Mr. T. S. Narayana Ayyar.—That might also be taken into consideration.

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan.—Can the Government

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give the approximate time within which we can have these volumes?

Mr. T. S. Narayana Ayyar.—I can't give the approximate time. Every effort will be made.

Mr. President.—There is no question of any amendments in this matter. Government will see that this matter is expedited by engaging private presses also.

Appointments in the Huzur in 1110.

160. Mr. Shabdai S. Koder.—Will the Government be pleased to place on the table a caste-war list of appointments made in the Huzur in 1110;

(a) whether a graduate of the Jewish community of Ernakulam was an applicant for the above post;

(b) the reason for not giving him the post?

Mr. T. S. Narayana Ayyar.—Please vide the list appended *(Appendix I.)*

(a) Yes.

(b) The appointments were made by selection after personal interviews by the Diwan.

Mr. Shabdai S. Koder.—In view of the fact that this applicant was the first graduate from the Jewish community of Cochin who applied for a post, is it not a glaring instance where the claims of the members of unrepresented communities have been deliberately overlooked?

Mr. T. S. Narayana Ayyar.—The only information I have with regard to this is that the candidate was interviewed by the Ex-Diwan and when the time came for appointment he was not appointed. It must be for some definite reasons that he was not appointed. The fact that he was called for an interview shows that the claims of unrepresented communities were recognised.

Mr. Shabdai S. Koder.—From the appendix I find that members of all other communities were appointed. No Jew is appointed. I do not know the reasons for it. Was there any Hitlerism here?

Mr. President.—The Hon'ble Member would not have been in his seat if there were Hitlerism.

Mr. Shabdai S. Koder.—Was there any other qualification necessary for this post? If not what were the reasons

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